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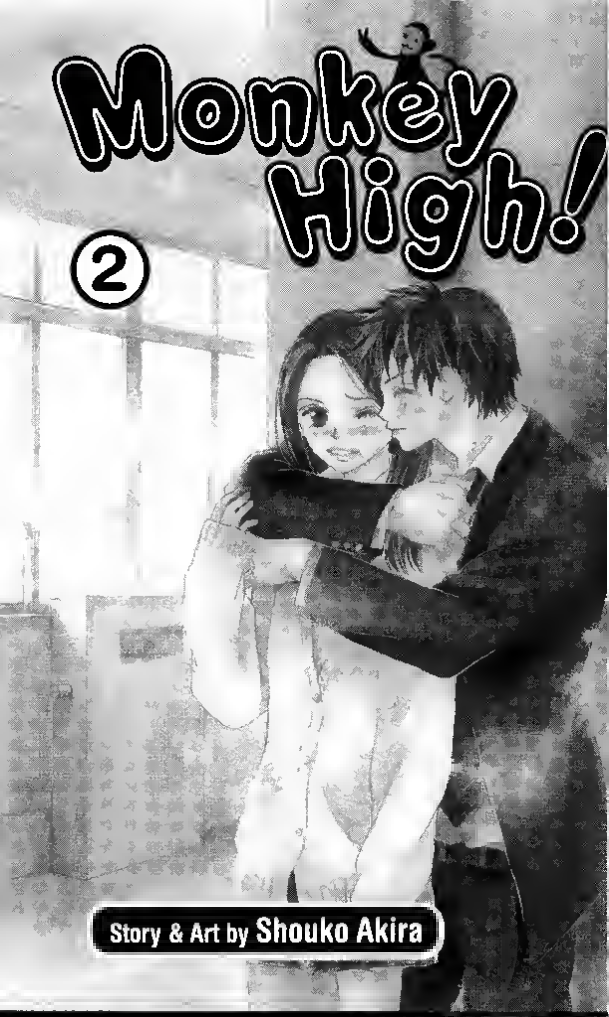

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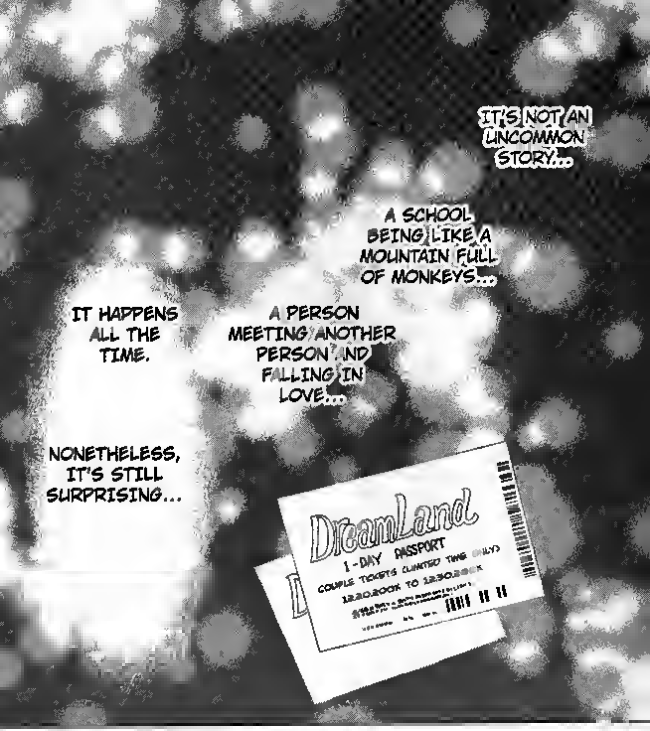
A FIRST DATE IS LESS SCARY THAN A HAUNTED HOUSE


IT'S NOT AN UNCOMMON STORY...
A SCHOOL BEING LIKE A MOUNTAIN FULL OF MONKEYS...
IT HAPPENS ALL THE TIME.
A PERSON MEETING ANOTHER PERSON AND FALLING IN LOVE...
NONETHELESS, IT'S STILL SURPRISING...
DreamLand
1-DAY PASSPORT
COUPLE TICKETS (LIMITED TIME ONLY)

Monkey High!

PUSH
GLANCE
WELCOME!
Welcome!
HEY THERE.
HELLO.
WHAT'RE YOU DOING HERE, MAGARI?
IT HASN'T EVEN BEEN A MONTH SINCE YOU LAST CAME.

PAT
ATSU!
I didn't think you'd be here.
REALLY?
YOU HAVE A GIRL-FRIEND NOW, MASARU?
YEP. OUR BABY MONKEY HAS A REAL BEAUTY!
HE'S GOT HIS FIRST DATE TOMORROW, MOM!
NOW PLEASE, SIR. WON'T YOU SIT OVER HERE?
WE'LL GIVE YOU A GREAT STYLE!
WHO ASKED YOU?!
WHAT?
WHO DO YOU THINK TOLD YOU ABOUT THE DISCOUNTED COUPLE TICKETS AT DREAMLAND?
How quickly we forget.
I OWE YOU NOTHING, MAN.

YOU KNOW I'M YOUR BIGGEST SUPPORTER!
WANT ME TO GIVE YOU A BUZZ CUT LIKE IN JUNIOR HIGH?!
Knock it off, you unlicensed jerk!!
YOU GUYS DO REALIZE I HAVE CUSTOMERS HERE...
HIS CHRISTMAS PRESENT TO ME..
Dream Land
...WAS THIS FREE PASS.
AN AMUSEMENT PARK?
HE DEFINITELY GAVE THIS TO ME BECAUSE HE WANTS TO GO...
I HAVEN'T BEEN TO ONE OF THESE PLACES SINCE GRADE SCHOOL ..

THIS IS OUR FIRST REAL DATE TOGETHER...
IT'S ALSO THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN HIM SINCE OUR FIRST KISS...
MAYBE I FEEL A LITTLE EMBARRASSED...
BECAUSE IT ALL HASN'T SUNK IN YET
HEY!
HARUNA!
Merrin!
OVER HERE! I ALREADY GOT OUR TICKETS!
Good morning.
I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M GOING OUT WITH A BABY MONKEY!!
Here ya go!

WOW! THIS REALLY IS A DATE!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?!
SORRY, DID YOU WAIT LONG?
THANKS.
SKY HURRICANE
CHECK OUT THAT ROLLER COASTER! IT'S SO AWESOME!!
HEY! I SAW THAT ONE ON TV!
C'MON, HARUNA! HURRY!
OOH! THEY'VE GOT GO-CARTS TOO!
WOULD YOU CALM DOWN!

I CAN'T DO SPINNING ONES OR ONES THAT FALL...
I WONDER IF WE CAN RIDE ALL OF THEM!
SO WHICH ONE DO YOU WANT TO TRY FIRST?
MAP
DROP
AHHH!
SHUUU
AAAGHHH!!!
THE STAFF HERE MUST BE PLEASED TO GET THIS KIND OF REACTION...
OH MY GOD!

EXIT
NICE! I FOUND THE EXIT!
GOOD THING, HUH, HARUNA ?
FOR YOU, MAYBE ...
BRUSH
IT'S JUST SOMEONE IN AN ANIMAL SUIT...
...
AHHHH!!
PUNCH
JEEZ! YOU SCARED ME THERE!
Hey bud
PUNCH
KNOCK
HEY!
PUNCH
WHAT THE HECK?
You want a piece of me?
STOP COMPETING WITH EACH OTHER!
You're both monkeys, remember?
MACHARU ...
YOU FIT IN HERE WAY TOO WELL...
Not that I'm surprised...
B'bye!

I THINK IT'S TOO LATE TO WORRY ABOUT THAT...
THAT WOULD HURT MY MANHOOD!
Quit while you're ahead.
YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO GO IF IT'S SOMETHING YOU'RE NOT INTO...
The haunted house I mean
ACK. I YELLED TOO MUCH MY THROAT HURTS.
BUT...
WE CAME HERE TOGETHER
SO I WANT TO EXPERIENCE THINGS TOGETHER.
EVEN IF I'M LAUGHING AT HOW FREAKED OUT YOU ARE?
URR
DARN IT!
HA HA HA.

THINGS THAT WE CAN DO TOGETHER...
EVERY-THING...
AND THINGS THAT MAKE YOU HAPPY...
THINGS THAT FREAK YOU OUT...
YES, EVEN THEN!
I WANT TO DO IT ALL.

C'MON.

Yeah!
That one?
You're hurting my pride, you know.
Why?
Hey, there's one called the Mystery House.
Why is there have to be such an haunted house?
LET'S GO ON THAT ONE NEXT!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO RUN!
But I want to get on it right away!

I'll get you a new one.
This was an expensive coat!
Sniff
WHAT IS THIS?!
He got ice cream on me!!
NOOOO!
KNOCK
Sniff
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE.
SEE THIS CANDY?
NOW WHICH HAND IS IT IN?
...

...THIS ONE?
HA HA HA
HERE'S THE GRAND PRIZE-THE CANDY PLUS AN EXTRA COIN TOO!
NICE! YOU WIN!!
NOW YOU CAN GET A NEW ICE CREAM!
HA HA HA
REALLY? Seems like you'd've loved this sort of thing.
I...
...ACTUALLY CAME A LOT.
MY FAMILY RUNS A STORE, SO MY PARENTS WERE ALWAYS REALLY BUSY
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT...
...I NEVER CAME TO PLACES LIKE THIS AS A KID.
OH. That's right.
NOT THAT I REALLY LIKED IT...
HEY! JUST WHAT ARE YOU GETTING AT?
Gurr...

I REMEMBER...
...MY FATHER BRINGING ME SOMETIMES...
BACK WHEN I STILL LIKED HIM...
SO YOU DON'T REALLY HAVE ANY CHILDHOOD MEMORIES OF GOING TO THE AMUSEMENT PARK?
Hm
NOPE. BUT WHEN I WAS IN FOURTH GRADE...
...ATSU SAID, "I'LL TAKE YA!"
SO WE SNUCK OUT.

Hey!
Mucharu!
Atsu!
AND? WHAT HAPPENED?
I WAVED AT ATSU FROM DOWN BELOW.
AH HA HA HA!
That's so like him to get on it without you!
BUT I WASN'T TALL ENOUGH AND..
You Must Be Taller Than Me
HA HA HA.
BUT WE PRETTY MUCH USED ALL THE MONEY WE HAD JUST GETTING THERE
WE DECIDED TO JUST GET ON THE ROLLER COASTER SINCE THAT'S WHAT WE CAME FOR.
WE USED THE REST OF THE MONEY TO GO ON THE TEACUP RIDE...
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT... HEY, ATSU GOT TO GO ON TWO RIDES!!
The roller coaster AND the teacups!!
AH HA HA HA HA!
Stop it! You're killing me!
You're right!
this one
Fool

MOMMY! WILL YOU BUY ME A BALLOON ?!
Would the mother of...
RUMBLE
BUSTLE
BUSTLE
AHHH!!
HA HA HA!
WHAT THE HECK ARE WE DOING?!
IN PLAIN VIEW...!
UNBELIEVABLE !!
UH
UM...
WHAT SHOULD WE GET ON NEXT?
MAP

WELL...
LET'S TRY THE ROLLER COASTER...
CHUK
CHUK
CHUK
CHUK
CHUK
HARUNA... THIS ONE TWISTS AND FALLS A LOT...
IS THAT OKAY?
YEAH
YOU LIKE THESE, RIGHT?
YUP. LOVE 'EM.

WHA.
DROP
GROOOO
WOOOOH!
KYAAAA!!

ACK!
HARUNA !!
HARUNA ?
YOU OKAY...?
CHUN
HANG ON! I'LL GET YOU SOMETHING TO DRINK!
MY HEAD'S SPINNING ...
HEEEEEY.
WHAT'S WRONG? ARE YOU LOST?
THIS... SUCKS ...

Dude, she's super hot
SERIOUSLY? THEY'RE PICKING UP GIRLS AT AN AMUSEMENT PARK?!
STUMPED
DOESN'T LOOK LIKE YOU'RE FEELING TOO GOOD.
WE DROVE HERE. WANT A LIFT HOME?
WE SORT OF LOST THE PEOPLE WE WERE WITH ..
...SO WE WERE THINKING OF TAKING OFF ANYWAY.
NO THANKS
I'M HERE WITH SOME-BODY...
KARUNA
WHAT? A GUY? A GIRL?
IF YOU'RE HERE WITH GIRLS, THEN...
I BROUGHT YOU SOME TEA
YOUR LITTLE BROTHER?

CAN YOU GET UP, HARUNA?
LET'S GO OVER THERE.
NOW, NOW. YOUR SISTER LOOKS LIKE SHE'S IN PAIN.
LET US TAKE CARE OF HER.
ALL RIGHT, NOW COME OVER HERE.
KICK
GET YOUR HANDS OFF OF HER.
YOU LITTLE..
DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOU JUST DID, YOU SHRIMP?!

SMA
CK
MACHARU!
Ha!
YOU LITTLE PUNK!
PUNCH
SOME-ONE...
SOME-ONE WHO WORKS HERE

SMACK
WHOA!
A...
...MONKEY?!
KYO
RUNCH
AH!
OWW!
HEY...
WHAT'S GOING ON?
A monkey!
IS THIS SOME KIND OF SHOW?

Is this a
romance?
Wow!
Look at the
monkey!
GATHER
GATHER
...
No
fair.
It's over
already?
This is
too weird
Umm.
EXCUSE
ME...
Hey! You
guys okay?!

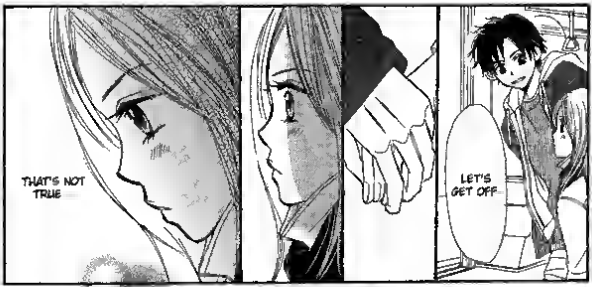
HEY NOW! NO VIOLENCE AT AMUSEMENT PARKS!
That was crazy!
This is the land of dreams, man
WASN'T EVEN THAT GREAT AS AN ATTRACTION EITHER.
EAR NOT GIVEN

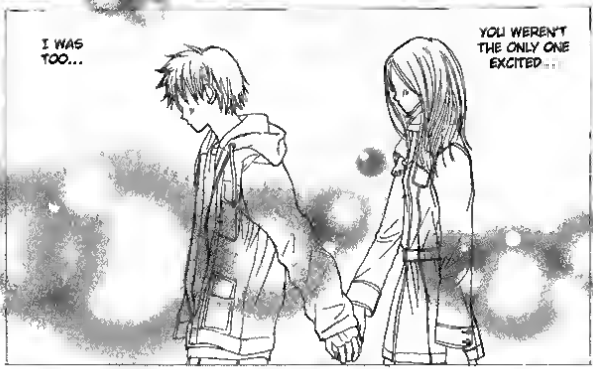
PLUS ATSU GAVE US DISCOUNT TICKETS! ♡
IT'S WINTER BREAK.
Duh
WE'RE OBVIOUSLY HERE TO HAVE A GOOD TIME.
WHA
WHAT'RE YOU GUYS DOING HERE?!
POP
HUH?
Atsu did?

THIS IS LIKE THE BEST DIET EVER.
AGH, IT'S HOT IN HERE...
YO.
ATSU!
WHA..
WHAT'RE YOU...!
I'M GETTING PAID TO DO THIS, OBVIOUSLY
NOTHIN' BETTER TO DO SINCE SOMEONE I KNOW HAS A GIRLFRIEND NOW.
I WAS TALKING TO THESE GUYS OVER THERE...
I SAW HARUNA GETTING MESSED WITH, SO...
BUT ANYWAY. HAVE YOU GUYS BEEN ON THE FERRIS WHEEL?
YOU CAN'T MISS IT THIS TIME OF THE DAY, MAN.
Gets make out while you watch the sunset.

DROP
HARUNA ?!
YOU OKAY ?!
TRUM
TRUM
TRUM

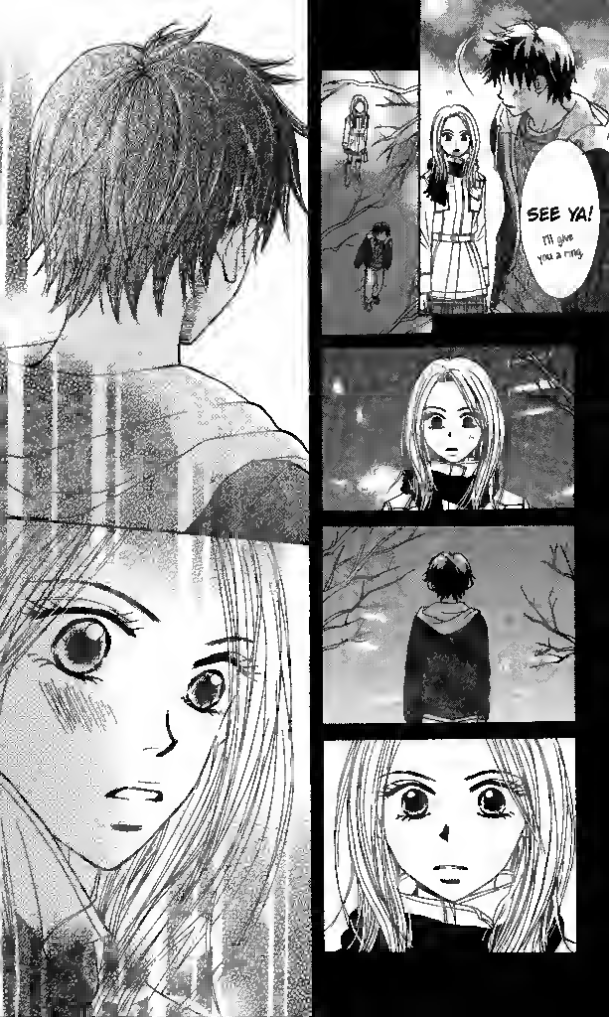
I'M SORRY.
GEEZ...
WHY DID THIS HAPPEN TO ME...?
This sucks
IT WAS TOO MUCH FROM THE BEGINNING...
I WAS SO EXCITED I DIDN'T THINK ABOUT WHAT YOU WANTED...
NOT TO MENTION WHAT HAPPENED AT THE END...
I'M SORRY.
NISHIMACHI! NEXT STOP, NISHIMACHI!
THAT'S.


THAT'S NOT TRUE...
LET'S GET OFF.


I WAS TOO...
YOU WEREN'T THE ONLY ONE EXCITED...

THIS IS FINE. THANKS.

BUT I WAS SO HAPPY.
SORRY FOR BEING SO HYPER.
HARUNA...
I KNOW YOU MAY NOT LIKE...
...AMUSEMENT PARKS AND THAT KIND OF THING, SO...
THANKS!


SEE YA!
I'll give you a ring

MACHARU!

ALL OF THAT MADE ME HAPPY TOO.
GETTING TOO EXCITED...
HAUNTED HOUSES ...
AND ROLLER COASTERS...
LAUGHING ...
BEING SCARED ...
NOT KNOWING WHAT TO DO...
I LIKE YOU...

BECAUSE I WAS WITH YOU...
WELL ...
I'LL SEE YOU LATER!
NEXT TIME, LET'S GO ON THE FERRIS WHEEL TOO!
HEY!
HARUNA !

THIS IS STILL...
...LIKE BEING IN WONDERLAND...

HAVING FUN TOGETHER OR BEING ANXIOUS...

BEING [illegible] OR ANGRY...

HAVING [illegible] OR BEING DISAPPOINTED...

WONDERING...

...WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS FOR US...

AND WANTING TO JUST RUN WITH IT.

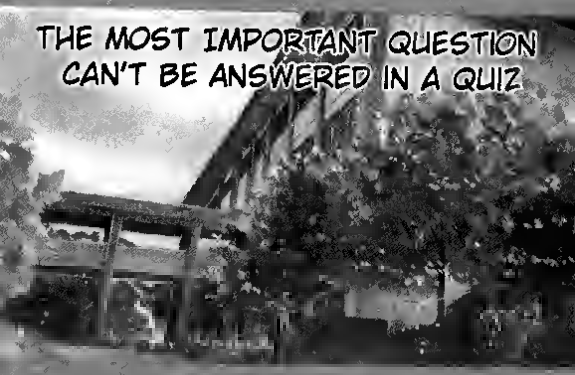
"WHERE SHOULD WE GO NEXT?"

"ANYWHERE!"

IT'S AS IF THAT'S THE ENTIRE WORLD...

MEMBERS OF THE SAME GROUP CONSTANTLY FIGHT AND GET BACK TOGETHER AGAIN...

SCHOOL LIFE'S LIKE BEING ON A MOUNTAIN FULL OF MONKEYS...



BUT...

FROM THE OUTSIDE, IT'S AN AMAZINGLY SMALL WORLD.

THE MOST IMPORTANT QUESTION CAN'T BE
ANSWERED IN A QUIZ

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4/7 Commencement 9:30
Homeroom 10:00~
Cleaning 10:30~
THE NEW SEMESTER STARTS TODAY.
EWWWW! THIS RAG REEKS!
WHERE'S THE DUST-PAN?
Don't throw it over here!
HEY! THE GUYS IN THE INNER COURT ARE TOTALLY SLACKING OFF!
HARUNA AIZAWA
15 YEARS OLD
FIRST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL
THEY SAID THEY'VE GOT LUNCH ON THE LINE!
What?! Oh that's just so typical!
CAN THESE PEOPLE EVER STAY QUIET...?

AND YOU THINK YOU CAN GET BY ME, HUH?
Bring it on!
SO YOU THINK YOU CAN STOP [redacted] HUH?
BMP
FOCUS, MAN!!
THANKS, GIRLS!
YEAH-
WE'RE ROOTIN' FOR YA, ATSU!

Ha ha ha
NOT REALLY THAT ENTERTAINING, IS IT?
HEY, HARUNA. COME OVER AND CHECK IT OUT.
WHAT'RE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
GO ROOT FOR YOUR BOYFRIEND!
C'mon!
TUG
WA...
MACHARUUU!
HARUNA'S WATCHING YOU!!

SMILE
C'MON, ATSU! SHOW ME WHAT YOU'VE GOT!
IT'S BEEN FOUR MONTHS SINCE I TRANSFERRED HERE.
Like I'm gonna lose to someone like you!
Dude now you're just being mean

CONFESSION
I'VE TEASED MYSELF ABOUT IT A HUNDRED TIMES...
APPROACH
CONTACT
I DON'T KNOW HOW THIS...
...ALL HAPPENED EXACTLY...
THIS CLASS IS LIKE A TROOP OF MONKEYS, AND...
Yeah!
THIS IS THE BABY→ MONKEY.
MASARU YAMASHITA (NICKNAMED MACHARU)
AND HE IS MY BOY-FRIEND...
GO, MACHARU! SHOOT THE BALL!
CAN YA DO IT?!
YEAH!
SHOOT

HEY
OH...
BOOM
KNOCK
BANG
CRASH
ALMOST EVERY DAY~
~SOMETHING UNBELIEVABLE HAPPENS
PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

YOU!!
I'M SORRY...
AREN'T YOU ASHAMED OF YOURSELVES? YOU'RE IN HIGH SCHOOL, FOR CRYING OUT LOUD!
IT JUST HAD TO GO INTO THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE, DIDN'T IT...
IT'S LIKE THEY SAY.. "NOTHING LASTS FOREVER..."
HE'S DEFINITELY CRYING..
IT SEEMS THAT THEY FEEL BADLY ABOUT IT.
WELL, MR. FURUKAWA...
BUT..
THAT VASE WAS REALLY SPECIAL TO HIM...

THERE IT IS!!
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QUIZ SHOW CHAMPIONSHIP
HIGH SCHOOL EDITION
PRIZE: (a measly) $10,000!!
Teams of six, all members must
Must be able to make it to locale
...I'M NOT DOING THAT.
Oh my God! Look who the celebrity guest is!!
IT'S A SIGN!!
PLUS, IT'S A TEAM OF SIX!
OH, I'VE SEEN THAT SHOW
WOW!!
Ten thousand dollars!!
HARUNA!
C'MON, MACHARU! YOU'VE GOT TO CONVINCE YOUR GIRL!
BUT YOU'RE THE SMARTEST.
I THINK IT'S OBVIOUS...
HUH?! WHY NOT?!

I'M SURE IT COSTS ABOUT TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS...
IT WAS IMARI PORCELAIN, WASN'T IT?
WELL, I GUESS WE HAVE TO PAY HIM BACK THEN..
We'll split it between all of us.
HMM...
FREE
EZ
HEY, LEAVE US OUT OF IT!
Why're you including us in the headcount?
WITH SIX PEOPLE... HOW MUCH WOULD EACH OF US HAVE TO MAKE?
WE COULD ALL GET JOBS.
IT'S HOPELESS WHERE WOULD WE GET THAT KIND OF MONEY?
FLIP FLIP
TV Guide
I READ SOME-THING ABOUT IT IN A MAGAZINE TODAY...
TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS...
HMM.
WAIT A SEC.

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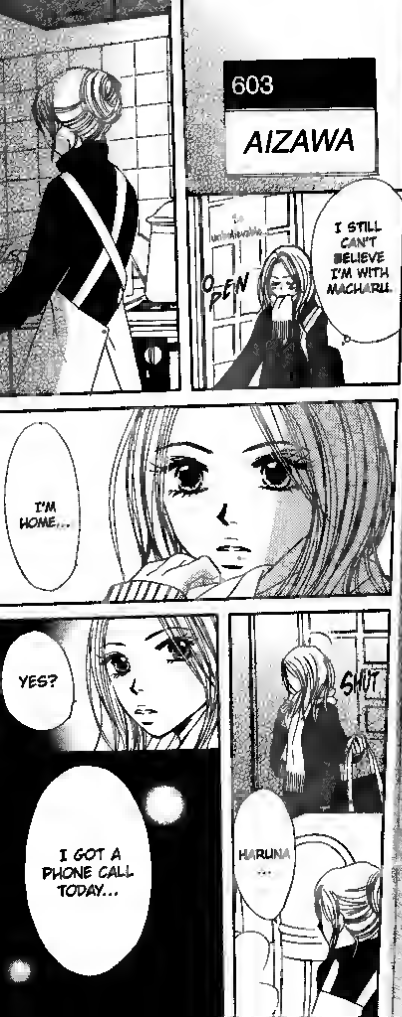
HUH?! WHY NOT?!

Please?
YOU'VE GOT TO DO THIS FOR THE PRINCIPAL!
I'M SORRY, BUT I'M NOT THAT ATTACHED TO THE PRINCIPAL...
...
BUT HE'S SO NICE!!
He makes us snacks and stuff
BUT YOU GUYS ARE THE ONES WHO BROKE HIS VASE...
THEN, HARUNA
YOU SHOULD DO IT FOR MACHARU!
Exactly!
ANY PET'S MISTAKE IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ITS OWNER!!
WHAT ?!
I ALREADY ENTERED US.
Via cell phone
HUH?! WAIT A SEC!

I DON'T BELIEVE THIS...
Who goes on these things? I mean, who freaks you?
A QUIZ... A QUIZ SHOW...
BUT IT SOUNDS KINDA FUN...
WELL, MAYBE FOR YOU...
YEAH, BUT...
I HAVE MORE FUN DOING THINGS WHEN YOU'RE AROUND.
SURE...
IT'S TRUE
We've gotta find another date, Tom-Tom!
WHY...
...IS IT YOU...
...I WONDER?

AND I WONDER... WHY ME?
Train? For a quiz show?
OKAY.
I'LL SEE YOU TOMORROW.
THANKS.
NO PROB

OKAY!
B'BYE!
SQUEAK
DOES HE NOT CARE ABOUT OTHER PEOPLE SEEING...?
WHY...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AIZAWA
OPEN
I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE I'M WITH MACHARU.
I'M HOME...
YES?
I GOT A PHONE CALL TODAY...
SHUT
HARUNA ...
...DO I SECOND-GUESS EVERYTHING...
...LIKE A CHILD?

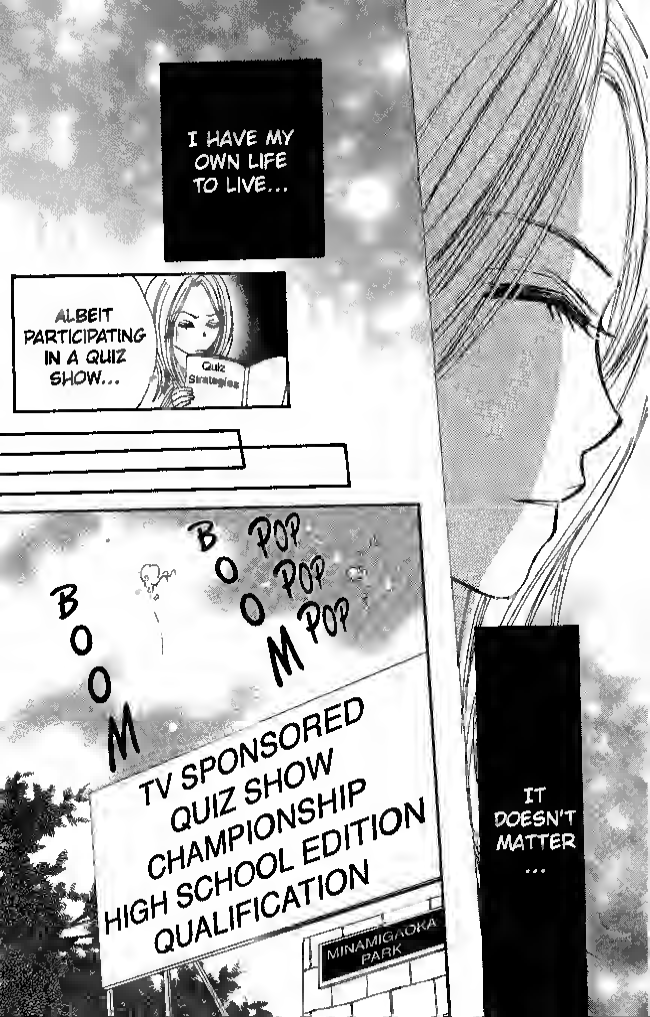
HE'S DONE SERVING HIS TIME. HE'S COMING HOME.
YOUR FATHER...
SO?
FWEE
FWEE
HARUNA ...
IF YOU WANT TO SEE HIM, YOU CAN GO TO THE OFFICE...
IT DOESN'T MATTER.
KNK
WHO KNOWS ...
I'M SURE HE'LL BE VERY BUSY.
Ha.
NOTHING SEEMS TO CHANGE.
HERE?
HE'S COMING ?

SIX MONTHS AGO...
DIET MEMBER SHINICHI AIZAWA ARRESTED ON BRIBERY CHARGES
SLAM
I'M BUSY TOO.
MY POLITICIAN FATHER GOT ARRESTED FOR BEING INVOLVED IN A CORRUPTION SCANDAL...
...AND WE WERE FORCED TO LEAVE THE HOUSE AND THE TOWN THAT WE LIVED IN.
...MY FAMILY WAS ...
...BROKEN LONG BEFORE THEN...
BUT I THINK ...
IT'S..
...TOO LATE.

QUESTION...
SWIFT
"BANANAS ARE SNACKS!"
True or false?!
Oh, come on!
WHAT KIND OF QUESTION IS THAT?!
WE'VE GOT TWO TRUES AND TWO FALSES.
SINCE WHEN DID IT BECOME A MAJORITY VOTE?!
YOU'VE GOT THE DECIDING VOTE, HARUNA.
WE CAN'T HAVE MACHARU ASK THE QUESTIONS...
THEY'RE ALL ABOUT FOOD.
Yeah.
THESE PEOPLE ARE MORONS...
Although I am making them...
Yep.

But my parents run a furniture store
That's no excuse.
ARE YOU BORED?
YOU'VE BEEN SIGHING ALL DAY
I'M JUST AMAZED ...
HARUNA ...
IT'S JUST SO STUPID...

I THINK WE SHOULD TRY TO COVER CURRENT AFFAIRS.
WANNA GO TO THE LIBRARY?
YOU'RE MISSING THE POINT!
SO YOU WOULD'VE RATHER DONE THE COSTUME CONTEST?
IT'S THE POWER OF LOVE!
THAT'S NOT WHAT...
Yes!
NICE! SHE'S FINALLY ON BOARD!!
"HE'S COMING HOME."
It's a probability thing.
It's just luck, man
You've gotta go with your gut instinct for the true and false part
Coach!
Let's call her "Coach" from now on.
Shut up.


I HAVE MY OWN LIFE TO LIVE...
ALBEIT PARTICIPATING IN A QUIZ SHOW...
Quiz Strategies
BOOM
BOOM
POP POP POP
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MINAMIGAOKA PARK
IT DOESN'T MATTER ...

Francisko (Can't im sp nn)
Xavier (Mate)
HELLO, EVERY-BODY! ♡
WE'RE THE COMIC DUO FRANCISKO XAVIER!
ARE YOU ALL EXCITED?!
YEAH--
ONLY SIX TEAMS CAN MAKE IT TO THE FINAL ROUND A WEEK FROM TODAY!
SO THE BEST OF LUCK TO YOU ALL!
LET'S GET STARTED ON THE FIRST ROUND!
THE RUNNING YOUTH HILL!
AND YOU'RE ONE OF THEM!
Please. I'm trying not to see it that way...
I CAN'T BELIEVE HOW CROWDED IT IS
IT SEEMS THE WORLD IS FULL OF IDIOTS AND SLACKERS

WHAT IS THIS?
A hint?
HEY! WE'RE WEARING BOOTS!
NOW YOU ALL START TOGETHER ON QUESTION 1!
"THERE IS SUCH A THING AS TWIN MONKEYS." TRUE OR FALSE?!
MAKE IT TO THE TOP TO AVOID BEING ELIMINATED!
Question 1
GET THE ANSWER RIGHT AND YOU CONTINUE UP. BUT ANSWER INCORRECTLY AND YOU MOVE BACK DOWN.
YOU HAVE TO RUN UP THE HILL AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.
Question 2

YEAH
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
WHICH IS IT, MACHARU?!
UHHHM...
I MEAN, WHY'RE YOU ASKING ME?!
YOU SHOULD KNOW!
What?
I MEAN...
FALSE
TRUE!
THE ANSWER IS TRUE!
NICE
I know it!
ONLY THE TEAMS THAT ANSWERED CORRECTLY MAY PROCEED TO THE NEXT GATE.
WOW...
HARUNA.
IT'S A TROOP OF MONKEYS, ALL RIGHT...
A really big one at that

QUESTION TWO

TRANSLATE THE FOLLOWING PHRASE INTO ENGLISH:

「終わりよければすべてよし」

A

SCRIBBLE SCRIBBLE
SHUP
HEY!
WE'RE ALLOWED TO LOOK AT DICTIONARIES, RIGHT?
UMM...
End...?
All's well that ends well.
CORRECT!!
WHOO-HOO!
YEAH, HARLINA !!
ARRGHH!!!
EASY FOR YOU TO SAY.
DUDE, THIS IS EASY!

BAVARIAN CREAM.
Loving food really paid off huh, Koba!
Kobukiri Kohei Matsumoto
BAVARIAN CREAM, PUDDING, AND JELLO—WHICH ONE GOT ITS NAME FROM AN ACTUAL PLACE?
CONGRATULATIONS! YOU'VE CLEARED THE FIRST ROUND!
LIBERO!
Class officer Yuko Kawano Good at sports.
WHAT ITALIAN WORD FOR "FREE MAN" IS A POSITION BOTH IN SOCCER AND IN VOLLEYBALL?
YAAAY!
EROS! EROS!
You looked that up in the dictionary before didn't you?!
Loves chicks ♥ Atsuyuki Kubo
IN ROMAN MYTHOLOGY, IT WAS CUPID. WHO IS KNOWN AS THE GOD OF LOVE IN GREEK MYTHOLOGY?
I've got him and one!
FOURTEEN!
Emi Tejima I've got my celebrities down!
ADD THE MEMBERS OF ARASHI, W-INDS, AND KAT-TUN AND HOW MANY PEOPLE DO YOU HAVE?

Doh Yirak
w/ a cute boy
HI, EVERYONE ARE YOU GUYS ALL IN THE SAME CLASS?
WE'RE GOING TO INTERVIEW THE TEAMS THAT ARE LEFT!
OKAY NOW!
WE'RE CLASS 1-2 AT KITAYAMA HIGH SCHOOL.
PLEASE SEND FAN LETTERS TO ATSUYUKI KIDO AT THE ADDRESS BELOW!
DO YOU MIND ADDING MY ADDRESS THERE LATER?
the self-PR is amazing
We're not..?
This silent...
SO THIS IS A COED TEAM!
ARE THERE ANY COUPLES IN THE GROUP?
I'd love to know
YEP!
THESE TWO ARE INSEPARABLE!
YOU'VE GOT IT WRONG!
I wouldn't have thought...
YOU CAN BE INSEPARABLE FROM ME. ♡

I wonder if they'll feed us lunch
Ha
YOU'RE RIGHT. BESIDES, I BELONG TO EVERYBODY.
ATSU! YOU CAN'T BREAK UP THE HAPPY COUPLE.
I JUST DON'T WANT TO LOSE TO THAT TEAM...
Wanna go talk to him later?
Ha... name's Akuryoku!
1st High School Girls Club
ER... WHAT A LIVELY BUNCH!

WE WON THE SECOND AND THIRD ROUND...
AFTER THAT..
...WE WERE UNSTOPPABLE. WE CLEARED EVERY DIFFICULT QUESTION THROWN OUR WAY

...AND EVEN WON A PLACE IN THE FINAL SHOW!
I'M IMPRESSED! WE WERE SO LUCKY!
YOU GUYS! WAIT!
HEY
WHAT?
HEY, YOU...
I KNEW IT!
THERE WERE SO MANY QUESTIONS WE KNEW.
IT WAS PROBABLY THE PRINCIPAL LOOKING OUT FOR US
DON'T TALK ABOUT HIM LIKE HE'S DEAD

YOU'RE THE DIET MEMBER SHINICHI AIZAWA'S DAUGHTER, RIGHT?
UMM... HARUNA AIZAWA...
YOU USED TO GO TO K ACADEMY, RIGHT?
WHO THE HECK ARE YOU?
WE'RE FROM O TV...
...AND WE'D LOVE TO HEAR YOUR STORY.
MR AIZAWA WAS RELEASED THE OTHER DAY, RIGHT?
HOW'S HE DOING? HAVE YOU TALKED TO HIM?
RUMOR HAS IT THAT HE'S SEPARATED FROM HIS WIFE.

SMAK
IS IT BECAUSE OF THE INCIDENT ...?
WE'RE NOT OBLIGATED TO ANSWER ANY QUESTION OUTSIDE OF THE GAME SHOW.

LET'S GO, HARUNA.
WAI...
JUST ...
...A FEW MORE QUES...
HEY!
KICK
DON'T YOU KNOW YOU'RE BEING RUDE, MAN?
WE'LL SUE YOU FOR HARASSMENT, MISTER.

IT'S OKAY.
WE CAN...
...STOP NOW.
MA... MACHARU...
TUG
TUG
TUG
YOU OKAY?
YEAH ...
I GOT THAT A LOT BEFORE.
JUST SIX MONTHS AGO. .
...THEY WERE ALL OVER MY HOUSE AND SCHOOL.
SO I'M USED TO IT...
THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M ASKING.

YOU'RE KINDA...
GRAB
Whoa!
YOU DON'T NEED TO LOOK SO SERIOUS.
WELL ...
knot
OKAY.

THANKS.
You look like a kid from up north.
What's that supposed to mean?
RING RING
Ah ha ha.
NOW YOU LOOK EVEN YOUNGER.

LET'S GO ON A DATE!
IT'S FROM EMI
WE R GONNA GO HOME. HV FUN U 2.♡ THERES A FERRIS WHEEL CLOSE BY U KNOW. ♡
..WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?

HMM
I TOTALLY FORGOT.
HARUNA'S DAD'S A POLITICIAN, HUH?
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT...
BUT NOW SHE'S A MONKEY KEEPER.
Yeh.
Y'KNOW, WHEN HARUNA FIRST TRANSFERRED, SHE WAS SO JADED.
YEH.
IT WAS ALL OVER THE NEWS WHEN IT FIRST HAPPENED.
The paparazzi went nuts.
She'll come to her senses soon.
I think she's been put under some kinda dark spell.
It's what they call puppy love. Or maybe she's just an animal lover?
Though honestly, I don't get it either.
THAT'S THE BEAUTY OF LOVE.
I wonder why Machuru? She's so hot!

COME LOOK, HARUNA!
WHAT'S THAT? IT'S ALL LIT UP!
WOW! CHECK IT OUT!!
YOU'RE MAKING IT SHAKE SIT.
MACHARU ...
OOPS.
SHMP
SORRY.

PLOP
IT'S...
IT'S KIND OF CROWDED, ISN'T IT?
A bit...
YEAH.
BUT...
...IT'S PRETTY ROOMY TOO.

AW, NO! I HAVE TO HELP WITH THE INSPECTION AT THE STORE!
OH... IT'S SNOWING!
THEN YOU SHOULD GET HOME SOON.
BUT IT'S SO COLD!!
And you can't use heaters.
HA HA HA.
Really?
Even with two pairs of socks on!
INSPECTION OF THE PRODUCE STORE?
YEAH WE'VE GOT TO CHECK THE PRODUCE AND CLEAN UP.
YEAH...
BUT...
YOU'RE WATER
SMACK
SEE?!!! HAPPENS ONCE
URRR...
PLUS, WON'T YOUR MOM THROW A FIT IF YOU GET HOME LATE?
I'LL BE FINE I'M NEAR HERE
Pretty close by
BUT...
I'LL TAKE YOU HOME FIRST
IT'S ALREADY DARK

YOU'RE RIGHT SHE WOULD DO THAT..
HA HA HA
BYE!
SO... I'M FINE HERE.
OH. OKAY.
It's coming down now
HUFF
BUT...
IT'S PROBABLY PRETTY COLD AT THE PRODUCE STORE...
MACHARU'S HOUSE PROBABLY FEELS...
...PRETTY WARM.

SEE YOU LATER, ATSU! ♡
YEAH! SEE YOU LATER.
Brr... It's cold.
DUM BA DUM
HEY, HARUNA!
WHERE'S MACHARU?
Did he go home?
PAT

SHA
OH...

HEY!
WAI...
HEY!
WHAT THE HECK HAPPENED ...?
DID MACHARU ...?

"WHAT'S THE MOST IMPORTANT THING YOU LOOK AT WHEN YOU'RE LOOKING AT A WOMAN?"
Um
HER SKIRT?
HMM...
What's that?!
HEY, ATSU. IT'S YOUR TURN TO PEDAL, MAN.
HER LEGS, OBVIOUSLY!
And her butt
EEEEH!
THEN, ONE LAST QUESTION.
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN WITH HARUNA YESTERDAY?
WHA... WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT?
I MEAN, AFTER YOU SPLIT FROM THE REST OF US.
AFTER THAT...
WE GOT ON THE FERRIS WHEEL AND...
AND...

DID YOU ...?
KNOCK IT OFF!
You're gonna make me crash!
SPIT IT OUT!
WHAT'D YOU DO?!
YOU PUSHED HER DOWN? FELT HER UP?
WHAT?!
I DIDN'T DO ANY-THING!
SCREECH
Peep
HEY!
WHAT IS IT?!
I KNOW THE FERRIS WHEEL PUTS YOU IN THE MOOD, BUT OF COURSE THAT KIND OF STUFF'LL PUSH HER TO TEARS!
THAT'S NO GOOD, MUM.
WHO...?
TEARS...?
HUH?
WHAT DID YOU SAY?

HARUNA WAS...
WHEN I SAW HER LAST NIGHT...

...WHY?
WAS SHE CRYING IN FRONT OF YOU?

I DUNNO.
LOOKS LIKE...
...YOU'RE THE ONE WHO HAS TO SOLVE IT
I'm stopping off at the convenience store.
I GUESS THAT'S THE BIGGER MYSTERY THEN
OH WELL.
He was getting on my nerves.
HE PROBABLY TOTALLY MISUNDERSTOOD THAT.

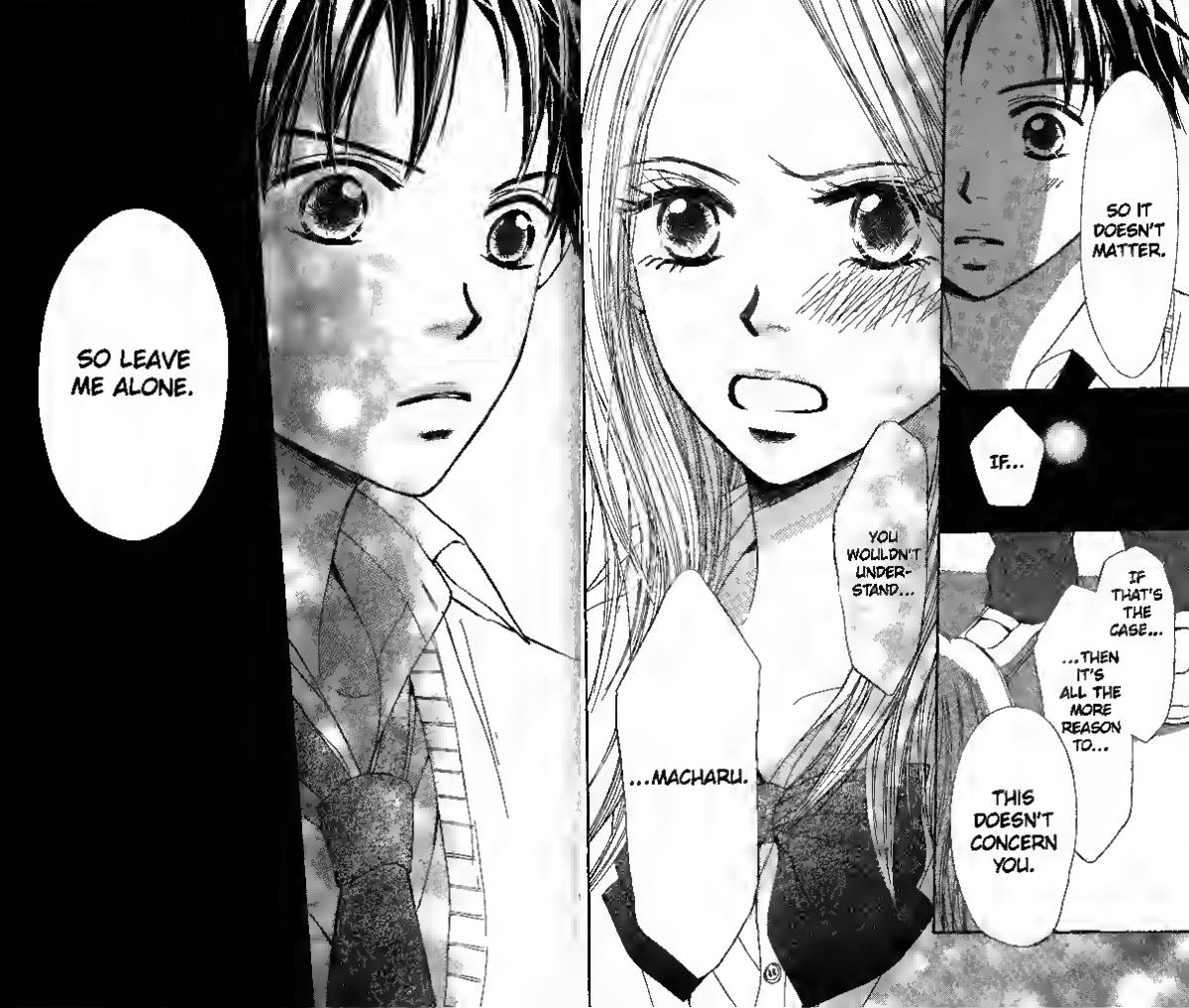
GOOD MORNING.
SO DID YOU GO HOME AND HELP OUT?
Your family, I mean?
OH.
YEAH.
WHERE'S ATSU?
Didn't you come here together?
HE SAID HE HAD TO STOP OFF SOME-WHERE...
OH.
HEW
DONG DONG DONG DONG DONG
Oh...
LET'S GO SIT DOWN.
I KNOW I'M GOING TO GET CALLED ON TODAY.
HA HA HA.
THEY MADE ME SCRUB RADISHES UNTIL ONE IN THE MORNING.

WHAT?? YOU GUYS GOT THROUGH THE PRELIMINARY ROUND?!
YEAH. IT WAS A BREEZE.
SO YOU'RE GONNA BE ON TV?
THEY'RE FILMING IT NEXT SUNDAY, SO COME CHEER US ON!
MAYBE WE'LL GO AND MAKE POSTERS FOR EACH OF YOU.
MAYBE EVEN ADD SOME CATCH-PHRASES?
Like "The Last Samurai" or "The Japanese Headquarters" or
THEN I WANNA BE "THE SMILING PRINCE"!
YOU MEAN LIKE IN THAT KOREAN TV DRAMA? That's not my segment
WHAT ABOUT FOR MACHARU?
"I CAME FROM NIKKO." Or "The Talking Monkey"
THAT SUCKS!
HARUNA CAN BE "THE MONKEY KEEPER" OR "PET GIRL."
No on the pointer thing altogether
PLEASE, NO
You just called me fat
Kobu can be "This is what the world calls fat"
I'M GLAD ATSU HASN'T SAID ANYTHING TO ME.

ALL RIGHT! WE'RE REALLY GONNA GET SERIOUS ABOUT TRAINING NOW!!
RING RING
HELLO?
MOM?
I'M STILL AT SCHOOL...
what?
HUH?
THE HOSPI-TAL?
...OKAY.
I UNDER-STAND.
ALL RIGHT.
I'LL TALK TO YOU LATER.
IS EVERYTHING OKAY?
SHIT

DIDN'T YOU JUST SAY "HOSPITAL" ..?
...NOT REALLY
I'M SORRY! I WAS EAVESDROPPING!
IT'S MY FATHER.
I GUESS HE COLLAPSED FROM FATIGUE.
WHAT?!
BUT IT'S NOT THAT BIG OF A DEAL.
MY MOM WAS JUST CALLING TO SAY SHE'S GOING TO THE HOSPITAL.
YOU SHOULD GO TOO.
HE'LL BE FINE
You're over reacting
BUT...
YOU MUST BE WORRIED.
I'LL GIVE YOU A LIFT ON MY BIKE.

MY FATHER WAS NEVER AT HOME ANYWAY.
DON'T YOU REMEMBER WHAT THE TV GUYS SAID?
I SAID IT'S FINE!!
SNAP
WAI...
HUH?
LET'S GO.


SO LEAVE ME ALONE.
...MACHARU.
YOU WOULDN'T UNDER-STAND...
THIS DOESN'T CONCERN YOU.
...THEN IT'S ALL THE MORE REASON TO...
IF THAT'S THE CASE...
IF...
SO IT DOESN'T MATTER.

SHUT UP.
HEY...
VROOM
YOU DID SOMETHING TO MAKE HER MAD, DIDN'T YOU?
WHAT... DID YOU GUYS FIGHT?
HARUNA WENT HOME.
Huh?
What a little punk
The monkey's pouting
"YOU WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND, MACHARU."
NEXT STOP-- SAKANOUE
SAKANOUE.

...BE SO MEAN...
I DIDN'T MEAN TO..
IT WAS CONVENIENT TO NOT BE ABLE TO THINK WHEN I DIDN'T WANT TO...
...CAME DOWN WITH A FEVER AS IF I WILLED IT
AFTER THAT ...
...I...

...AND I KEPT AVOIDING GOING TO SCHOOL.
IT'S BEEN FOUR DAYS NOW.
FOR GOD'S SAKE! JUST GO MAKE UP, WILL YOU!
AGHHH!
RUB RUB
YEAH... BUT...
SHE WON'T ANSWER HER CELL, SO YOU'VE GOTTA GO SEE HER.
YOU KNOW...
WHEN I WALK HARUNA HOME, SHE ALWAYS SAYS "THIS IS FINE" WAY BEFORE WE GET TO HER PLACE.

DON'T BE AN IDIOT. TO GET YOURSELF IN THE DOOR, IT'S ALL ABOUT TECHNIQUE.
That's the problem with you amateurs.
IT'S PROBABLY THAT.
...SHE DOESN'T WANT PEOPLE COMING OVER.
ESPECIALLY WITH WHAT'S GOING ON WITH HER FAMILY.
IT'S JUST...
I FEEL LIKE THERE'S A...
...BARRIER...
WELL...
I'M SURE THERE'RE THINGS SHE'D RATHER NOT TALK ABOUT EVEN IF YOU TWO ARE GOING OUT

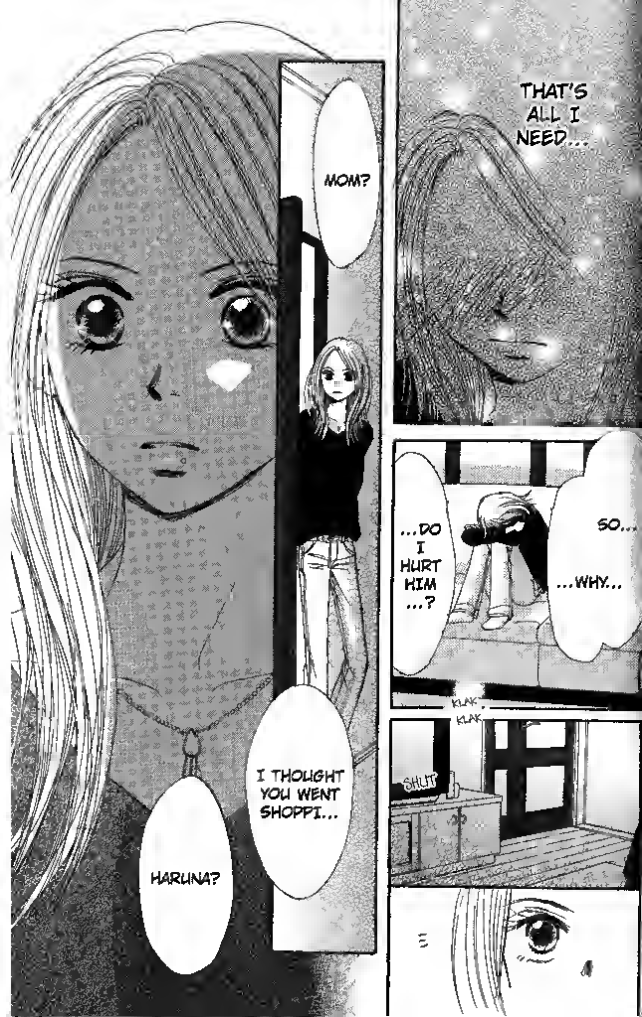
IT'S NOT LIKE YOU CAN DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT JUST BECAUSE YOU KNOW ABOUT HER PROBLEMS.
jingle—
jingle—
jingle-jingle—
WOOOW—
IT'S FINALLY HERE! THE QUIZ CHAMPIONSHIP HIGH SCHOOL EDITION FINAL!
HERE AT ○ TV'S SPECIAL STUDIO, WE'LL BE SEEING A YOUNG BATTLE OF THE WITS!

OUR CONTESTANT WILL BE ENTERING THE STUDIO NOW.
M HIGH SCHOOL QUIZ CLUB TEAM.
NOOOOO!
HARUNA'S STILL NOT HERE!
WE'RE JUST GONNA HAVE TO MAKE DO WITHOUT HER.
HEY! IT'S OUR TURN!
YES
KITAYAMA HIGH SCHOOL CLASS 1-2 TEAM.
I LOVE
My Principal
WOOOW
IT SEEMS THAT YOU ONLY HAVE FIVE MEMBERS ...
ONE'S OUT SICK! BUT WE GOT THE DETERMINATION OF SIX.
TAKE THE PRIZE KITA HIGH!
1-2

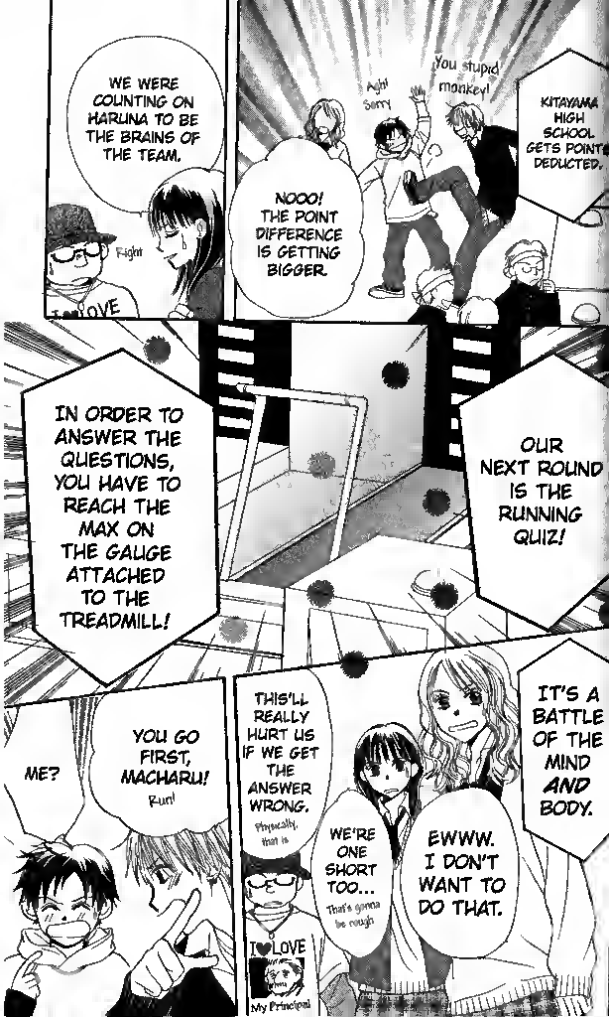
THE FINAL'S PROBABLY STARTING NOW...
OH...
I WONDER IF THEY'RE ALL MAD AT ME...
BUT...
I'M IN NO MOOD TO BE ON A QUIZ SHOW RIGHT NOW...
I MEAN...
...IT'S NOT LIKE I WAS EVER IN THE MOOD TO BE ON A QUIZ SHOW IN THE FIRST PLACE...

YEAH! A QUIZ SHOW!!
IT'S JUST THAT THOSE IDIOTS...
"YOU WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND, MACHARU!"
IT DOESN'T MATTER IF HE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND.
I'D RATHER IT BE THAT WAY.
IT'S JUST THAT...

WITH EVERYONE...
"IT'S KIND OF CROWDED, ISN'T IT?"
"YEAH."
"BUT IT'S ROOMY TOO."
WITH ME...
I WANT YOUR LAUGH...
...TO BE CAREFREE.


THAT'S ALL I NEED...
MOM?
I THOUGHT YOU WENT SHOPPI...
HARUNA?
SO...
...WHY...
...DO I HURT HIM ...?
KLAK KLAK
SHUT!

"THE WORD FOR THE MIND IN ENGLISH THAT ALSO REFERS TO PEOPLE WITH A HIGH DEGREE OF INTELLECT..."
YES!
BING
DAD...
DING DING
BRAIN.
EH EEEH
BRAIMEN!!
BING

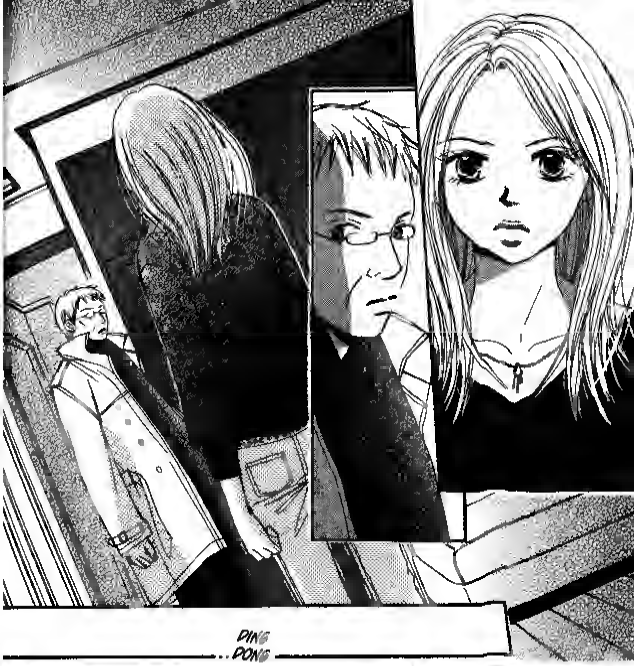

WE WERE COUNTING ON HARUNA TO BE THE BRAINS OF THE TEAM.
Fight
NOOO! THE POINT DIFFERENCE IS GETTING BIGGER.
Agh! Sorry
You stupid monkey!
KITAYAMA HIGH SCHOOL GETS POINTS DEDUCTED.
IN ORDER TO ANSWER THE QUESTIONS, YOU HAVE TO REACH THE MAX ON THE GAUGE ATTACHED TO THE TREADMILL!
OUR NEXT ROUND IS THE RUNNING QUIZ!
ME?
YOU GO FIRST, MACHARU!
Run!
THIS'LL REALLY HURT US IF WE GET THE ANSWER WRONG.
Physically, that is
WE'RE ONE SHORT TOO...
That's gonna be rough
EWWW. I DON'T WANT TO DO THAT.
IT'S A BATTLE OF THE MIND AND BODY.
My Principal

That's going to be our strategy!!
IT DOESN'T MATTER IF WE KNOW THE ANSWER OR NOT!
SHUT UP AND RUN WITH EVERYTHING YOU'VE GOT!!
OKAY..
RUN LIKE A HORSE PULLING A CART!
DASH
OKAY, ATSU!
HUH?
MACHARU ?
WHAT'S GOING ON?
WHERE'RE YOU GOING?
ONE MEMBER IS LEAVING THE STUDIO...!

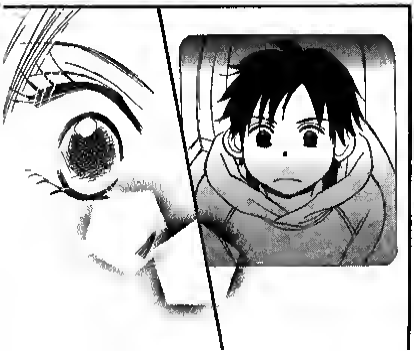
WHERE DID HE GO?
UMM... WHAT JUST HAPPENED HERE?
...TO GO SOLVE THE MOST IMPORTANT QUESTION.
PROBABLY...
WHAT'RE WE GONNA DO? NOW WE'RE DOWN TO FOUR!!
I COULDN'T HAVE PLANNED THAT BETTER WITH THE CAMERA.
I SEE ...?
WHETHER OR NOT HE CAN SOLVE IT, THOUGH...
HUH?

YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE WELL..
I HEARD YOU TRANSFERRED SCHOOLS.
IT SEEMS THAT I'VE CAUSED YOU A LOT OF PAIN. I FEEL BAD ABOUT THAT.
BUT...
THAT'S THE REALITY OF THE WORLD I LIVE IN.
DON'T WORRY.
I'M GOING TO CLIMB BACK UP AGAIN.

MUCH FARTHER THAN I DID BEFORE.
YOU DON'T NEED TO FEEL LIKE I'M KEEPING YOU BACK ANYMORE.
IT'S...
IT'S LIKE A MONKEY MOUN-TAIN...
SO WHAT CAN YOU SEE WHEN YOU'RE UP THERE?

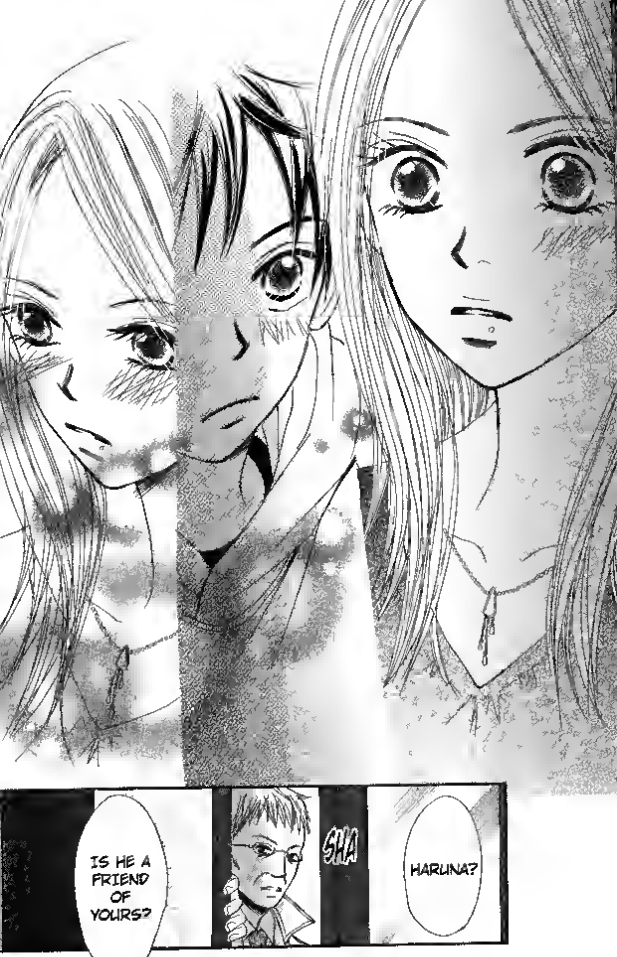


DING
...DONG



OPEN
HUFF
MACHARU
?
HUFF
I...
...DON'T UNDER-STAND...
..THE KINDS OF PROBLEMS THAT YOU MIGHT HAVE.
I HAVE NO IDEA.
. HOW TO HELP YOU

...I CAN'T LEAVE YOU ALONE.
SO...
THAT MAKES YOUR PROBLEM ...
...MY PROBLEM
THAT'S WHY..
...I HATE IT WHEN YOU CRY AND I DON'T KNOW ABOUT IT.
I DO KNOW...
BUT...


IS HE A FRIEND OF YOURS?
SHA
HARUNA?

!!
YOUR DAD?
WHAT?
NO.
HE'S MY BOY-FRIEND.
OH?
I HAVE SOMEWHERE I NEED TO BE, DAD.
HUH?
WHERE?

WHERE THAT RIDICULOUS TROOP OF MONKEYS IS...
WHAT?
LET'S GO, MACHARU.
MONKEYS ...?
IT FEELS LIKE I'M ON A MONKEY MOUNTAIN EVERYWHERE I GO.
BOW
SORRY FOR THE DISTURBANCE
TH, IT'S WHAT IT SEEMS LIKE TO ME.
CLO
Si
EH . ?
BOY-FRIEND ?
That gun ?!

I WANT YOU TO BE BY MY SIDE LAUGHING.
BUT WHETHER I'M LOOKING UP OR LOOKING DOWN...
...IT DOESN'T MATTER WHERE WE ARE.
IT TURNS OUT...
"I HATE IT WHEN YOU CRY AND I DON'T KNOW ABOUT IT."

MAX
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
THE METER'S UP! QUICK! ANSWER!
BING
REEF CRAB!

WE C N'T EVEN SEE THE HE RTS...

...OF THE PEOPLE RIGHT NEXT TO US.

KITAYAMA HIGH SCHOOL HAS SOMEHOW MANAGED TO CLEAR THE RUNNING QUIZ AND IS WORKING THEIR WAY THROUGH THE STATIONARY BIKE QUIZ ROUND WITH TWO PEOPLE MISSING!
PANT
PANT
THAT IS CORRECT!
NICE!
AND IT LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE REACHING THEIR LIMIT!
Not possible
...
WHEEZE
PANT
PANT
WHEEZE
I NEED A BREAK...
SOMEONE...
BAM
SORRY TO KEEP YOU WAITING!
HEY, GUYS!

WOW..
WHAT'S THIS? KITAYAMA HIGH SCHOOL JUST REGAINED THE MISSING MEMBERS OF THEIR OVER-STRETCHED TEAM!
HUFF
HUFF
TAKE THE PRIZE!
#1
MACHARU!
HARUNA!
BUT THE RETURNING MEMBERS LOOK PRETTY TIRED AS WELL!
HOW'S THAT SUPPOSED TO HELP US?!
NOW FOR THE NEXT QUESTION ...
HUFF
I forgot I'm just getting better.
COUGH
We pretty much sprinted here
COUGH
PANT PANT
ATSU! YOU'RE DOING GOOD!
SO YOU HAVE NO INTENTION OF SWITCHING WITH ME...
Grrr

AND SO....
WE....
...PUT UP A GOOD FIGHT TO THE END DESPITE OUR FATIGUE...
*This picture is a conceptual image.
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...BUT UNFORTUNATELY FINISHED LAST...
I'm not surprised...
No wonder!
DROP
OH... OUR TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS..
Congratulations
BUT WAIT! THERE'S MORE..
TO SHOW OUR APPRECIATION TO THE STUDENTS FROM KITAYAMA HIGH SCHOOL WHO...
...ALTHOUGH FINISHED LAST PROVIDED US WITH QUALITY ENTERTAINMENT... WE WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT THEM WITH THE FIGHTING SPIRIT AWARD

CAN YOU DESCRIBE WHAT YOU'RE FEELING FOR THE CAMERAS?
RIGHT... WE ACTUALLY ONLY CARE ABOUT THE PRIZE MONEY.
What kind of thanks is that?
And what kind of acceptance is that?
I'M NOT SURE IF THIS WAS ALL INTENTIONAL, BUT THANKS FOR MAKING GREAT TV.
I AM DEFINITELY NOT PARTICIPATING NEXT YEAR!
WE PROMISE TO WIN NEXT YEAR!!
YOU DIDN'T HAVE FUN AT ALL?
Nn...
Huh?
YEAH, RIGHT!
LOOKED LIKE YOU WERE ENJOYING YOURSELF TOO, HARUNA!
OH YEAH. WE'LL HAVE TO HAVE THE PRINCIPAL WAIT UNTIL NEXT YEAR!
THAT'S TRUE, HUH.

*GOMEN BAD EDITING SO I JUST TYPED WHAT WAS CUT.

HERE'S A BEST COUPLE AWARD FOR THE TWO OF YOU.
Wow
Best Couple Award
NO THANK YOU!
Aren't you missing the point of the show?
clap clap clap clap
Whoo hoo!
HEY...
COOL! THEY'RE TRAVEL COUPONS!
TRAVEL COUPONS
J TRAVEL
THAT'S WHAT THEY GAVE US FOR THE FIGHTING SPIRIT AWARD.

DID YOU GUYS GET ANY-THING FOR THE BEST COUPLE AWARD?
WHY DON'T YOU GIVE THAT TO THE PRINCIPAL?
LET'S GO TO THE HOT SPRINGS!!
YAY!
NO WAY! THAT'S AWESOME!!
WHO GAVE YOU THOSE?
Probably the program staff
YES
YEP. SEE? YES/NO PILLOWS.
UMM... EXCUSE ME, YOU GUYS.
YOU SEE...
MISS HARUNA AIZAWA...
WE WERE WATCHING THE RECORDING JUST NOW, AND...
Are they from the paparazzi again?

"BUT IT'S ROOMY TOO."
FROM THE OUTSIDE, IT'S AN UNBELIEVABLY SMALL WORLD...
WORLDS ARE TURNED UPSIDE DOWN BY SIMPLE WORDS...
Don't come after us again!
RUN FOR IT!!
HEY!
WAIT...!
MAKING A BIG DEAL OUT OF EVERYTHING
BUT...

IT'S MY VERY OWN
LOVEABLE MONKEY
MOUNTAIN...

Love...
MAYBE.
...AND...
MY BABY MONKEY.
They were actually acting scouts...
BESPECIALLY THAT AZAWA GIRL AND THE GUY WITH THE PIERCED EARS...
THEY WERE ALL GOOD MATERIAL.....
I WANTED TO GET THEM TO COME WORK FOR US.
DARN. THEY GOT AWAY...